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MARGINAL COLUMN

By NISSIM REJWAN

LAST week has been a crowded one for Jordan. Monday's announcement that Nabulsi's Cabinet decided to submit its resignation to the King was followed by news that the resignation had been postponed pending the return of one Minister who was on his way back from Tunisia. The immediate cause of Nabulsi's decision was given as the fact that Hussein sent his First Adviser, Bahjat Talhouni, on a special mission to Damascus, Cairo and Riyadh "without consulting the Cabinet." As though Nabulsi's Cabinet had not itself been in open conflict with the King's almost openly expressed wishes!

BUT the small cold war continues. At the moment the two camps seem to be consolidating their positions. Hussein has been seen in a demonstration of visiting his premier, the pro-West Samir Rifa'i, and Haza el-Majali. Another strong supporter of the Palace, the former Prime Minister who is now Ambassador in Cairo, Fawzi el-Mulki, whose name was mentioned as successor to Nabulsi, was speedily reappointed to his post. In the Nabulsi camp, activity has been no less feverish. Chief of Staff Ali Abu Nawar followed the Syrian Chief of Staff, the home front, and as though to assert itself, the Cabinet decided to establish relations with the Soviet Union. The fact that Nabulsi felt himself sufficiently strong to defy Hussein in this manner, and the openly pro-Soviet statement he made in Nabulsi yesterday are signs that the real showdown is at hand.

IT is difficult to form a correct estimate of the relative strengths of the warring camps — especially when the outcome may well be decided by external factors or by something as trifling as a bullet shot by a Palestinian, an agent of the Syrian Army Intelligence, or just an ordinary fanatic. But Hussein's position seems to be strong enough, as he has the sympathy of the pro-American Arab states and the same time as a defender of American interests in the area. Moreover, apart from the old-time politicians who are still there to offer their help for what it is worth — Hussein still enjoys a certain measure of popularity within the ranks of the Arab Legion. It should not be forgotten that he was the man who did finally grant the demands of the Legion's officers to oust Glubb.

AGAINST the young King are ranged the forces of the doctrinaire pro-Nasser and pro-Sarraj parties — Nabulsi's own National Socialist and Ba'ath Socialists, and the crypto-Communist National Front — and behind them all the embittered and disaffected ranks of the forlornist. What this outcome will be, no one can predict. An entirely new situation now obtains. It has been said that the unrest of the last few years in Jordan was the work of the Egyptian radio and Saudi Arabian money. Now the fanatics no longer have Saudi gold to distribute, and here tonight, it is more outspoken than it used to be. Only Moscow remains true to form. Following last week's reports that Nabulsi was about to tender his resignation, Moscow Radio hastened to call the whole affair an imperialist machination. The latest issue of "New Times" carries a lengthy dispatch from Amman which contains the interesting intelligence that King Hussein's directive to the termination of the Treaty of Friendship and Commerce with the Soviet Union was a "rude manoeuvre" by the imperialists to frustrate the Anglo-Jordanian talks on the termination of the Treaty of Friendship and Commerce with the Soviet Union. The message is described as having been couched in the terms borrowed from the U.S. President's "notorious Middle East doctrine" in a simultaneous transmission over the air is said to have been ordered by the King "in violation of the constitution."

It is a highly paradoxical state of affairs. The King and the reactionary "Old Guard" have become the sole defenders of what vestiges of independence Jordan still possesses, and the so-called nationalists are the ones most eager to abandon the country to Syrian and Egyptian adventures and ultimately to deliver it to the schemings of Russian diplomacy.

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Makarios Ends His Exile, Sails For Greece

MAHE, Seychelles, Saturday (Reuters). — Archbishop Makarios, leader of the Cypriot Union with Greece movement, today ended 13 months' detention in the Seychelles when he left in the 17,791-ton Greek tanker, Olympic Thunder.

The Archbishop, head of the Greek Orthodox church in Cyprus, sailed for Tamatave, Madagascar, where the tanker is expected on Tuesday.

From Tamatave the Archbishop and his three fellow exiles will fly to Tananarive. They are expected to fly from there to Nairobi on Thursday and thence to Athens the following Tuesday.

In Nicosia yesterday, five Greek Cypriots were sentenced to death for discharging firearms at a British patrol. This is the first time five men have been sentenced to death together under the Cyprus emergency regulations.

All pleaded not guilty to firing on the patrol near Lyssi village, east of Nicosia, on February 10.

Soviet Ambassador Abramov Returns

LYDDA AIRPORT, Saturday. — The Soviet Ambassador, Mr. Alexander Abramov, who returned today with Mrs. Abramov after five months' absence, stated that his return was "in itself a sign of improving relations" between his country and Israel. He was answering a question as to the prospects of bettering relations between the two countries.

Asked about the chances of reuniting families living here with their relatives in the USSR, Mr. Abramov replied, "Well, this can be talked over."

Mr. Abramov was met at the airport by a host of journalists, photographers, and diplomatic representatives of the Soviet Union and East European countries.

No representative of the Israel Foreign Ministry met Mr. Abramov at Lydda, as he had given no formal notification of leaving the country last November after the Sinai operation, or of returning.

Mr. Edward Lawson, the American Ambassador, was also on hand to meet 12 members of families of the American Embassy staff and USOM personnel who had left Israel last November and who returned to the country in the same plane.

Reuther: Four-Day Work Week Near

ATLANTIC CITY, Saturday (Reuters). — Mr. Walter Reuther, President of the United Auto Workers Union, said in a report released here tonight that "no one can predict now how long it will take some general agreement in the future to provide men with all his material needs."

He added in the 426-page report, to be presented to the annual convention of the U.A.W. which opens here tomorrow, "Economists generally, however, and even such reactionary politicians as Vice-President Nixon, accept the goal of a four-day week as feasible within the relatively near future."

Mr. Reuther said that "the age of automation makes it possible for the U.A.W. to win a shorter work week and at the same time an increase in take-home pay."

Nixon Sees Arab Refugee Issue Vital

WASHINGTON, Saturday (UP). — In a special report to the President on his recent tour of Africa, Vice-President Richard Nixon said that the Palestine Arab refugee problem is the most pressing one at present.

Throughout his report, Mr. Nixon warned repeatedly that the U.S. cannot write off Africa as an economic and military nonentity, and said the U.S. must provide aid to African nations or see them fall to Communism.

Sections of the report were classified as secret but the Vice-President made it clear that he was not satisfied with some of the U.S. officials' and situations he encountered.

TWO SOLDIERS KILLED IN ALGERIAN AMBUSH

ORAN, Saturday (Reuters). — Two soldiers and a gendarme were killed by an insurgent band which ambushed a French security patrol near Saida, western Algeria, the French authorities reported today.

Eleven insurgents were killed in the counter-attack by the security forces.

NATO to Revise Western Defences

WASHINGTON, Saturday (UP). — NATO's Military Committee today discussed means of strengthening Western defences with guided missiles and other modern weapons. The Committee, highest military body of NATO, met in secret after an 11-day tour of U.S. military research and development centres.

Members said in a statement that the tour gave them background information vital to NATO's long-range military planning.

The committee also indicated it is taking its stride in the future on missiles and atomic weapons to keep Russia from committing aggression.

The military committee may also review the situation in the East as Turkey is in that area.

The committee calls within the directives given by the NATO Foreign and Defence Ministers and its recommendations go to them at the next NATO Council meeting in Bonn next month for approval.

In Paris, a NATO spokesman said that Britain plans to cut her forces and concentrate on nuclear firepower will mean an adjustment of planning by the Supreme Headquarters, Allied Powers in Europe.

In London, the Soviet delegate to the five-power U.N. Sub-Committee on Disarmament, Mr. Valerian Zorin, has indicated that the Soviet Union is prepared to come nearer to the West over reductions in conventional armaments, a Western conference source said.

The British Defence Ministry said today that Russia carried out a nuclear test a fortnight ago. A spokesman said no details were available. The announcement came in the middle of a controversy in Britain over plans to test a British nuclear weapon in the Pacific this summer.

In Sheffield, Prime Minister Harold Macmillan pledged last night that his government would "work hard" for comprehensive disarmament. In a speech at a steel industry dinner, he said, "we are also prepared to try to find some effective way of limiting nuclear testing."

He said Britain's new defence plan "will give us forces more mobile, better trained, and better equipped. They will be due course by the end of the year, but they will be more efficient."

(UP, Reuters).

Bonn Sees New Anti-NATO Drive

BONN, Saturday (Reuters). — West German Government sources today described recent Soviet radio warnings directed against the Federal Republic as "part of the Soviet propaganda campaign of the past few weeks against member states of the North Atlantic Treaty organization."

Warnings that West German areas would be particularly exposed to Soviet atomic counter-blooms could only be answered by the renewed statement that NATO is a purely defensive organization, these sources said.

They referred to a reply to a reporter's question by the West German Chancellor, Dr. Konrad Adenauer, yesterday that he did not think the presence of atomic weapons in West Germany would increase the danger of atomic retaliation by the Soviet Union, because the Soviet Union faced an immediate counter-blow from the U.S.

U.S. Makes Offer Of Aid to Poland

WASHINGTON, Saturday (Reuters). — The U.S. yesterday made a firm offer of aid to Poland, according to Mr. Kotlicki, Chairman of the Polish delegation now here for aid negotiations.

Mr. Kotlicki made this statement after talks with the U.S. group led by Mr. T. Kalijarvi, Assistant Secretary of State for Economic Affairs. He did not mention a figure nor give details of the offer.

Meanwhile, Yugoslavia will get U.S. wheat and cotton shipments worth \$13.5m. under an agreement signed in Belgrade yesterday.

The agreement will bring the total of American economic aid deliveries to Yugoslavia this year to \$111.5m.

Nabulsi: Arab Union Planned

Premier Suleiman Nabulsi declared yesterday that in her foreign policy Jordan is united with Egypt and Syria. He said Jordan envoys in Cairo and Damascus were working on a federal union scheme towards a complete Arab unity, according to Reuters.

Addressing a public gathering in Nabulsi, he said, "We have decided to establish diplomatic relations with the Soviet Union, a sincere friend, not because we are Communists, but because we are Arabs and shall not allow anything except Arab federalism to live in our lands."

He added "We shall regain our stolen home in Palestine. We cannot say halt to the West, unless we are protected by complete Arab unity. Then we shall uproot imperialism from all Arab homelands."

Meanwhile, UP reports from Beirut that an Arab diplomat who arrived there this week-end said the decision to establish diplomatic relations with Russia was taken without King Hussein's participation. The decision must therefore still be approved by the King before any exchange of diplomats can be made, the source said.

The Jordanian Ambassador to Egypt, Fawzi Mulki, who was recalled for consultations two days ago, has seen King Hussein twice and had three interviews with Premier Nabulsi and his Cabinet. He

Lebanese Sell-Out To U.S. Charged

The Lebanese Cabinet won a vote of confidence yesterday when the Opposition accused the Government of selling independence for American economic aid.

The Government won by 30 votes to one in the 44-seat chamber. Seven opposition deputies resigned their seats in protest, including ex-Premier Sami Solh.

Premier Sami Solh stressed that the Lebanon supports the Eisenhower Doctrine but sides with brother Arab nations on all other issues.

The Government's policy statement which was made on Thursday night said the Lebanon will not make peace with Israel, ANA reported.

The statement said that thanks to the country's adherence to the Eisenhower Doctrine Lebanon will not be a target of Communist infiltration.

Mr. Dulles conferred with President Eisenhower at the White House on Thursday on Middle East problems and the U.S. Mutual Security Program.

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(UP, Reuters)

Egypt, Sudan Agree On 'Israel Threat'

CAIRO, Saturday (Reuters). — Abdul Nasser and the Sudanese Prime Minister, Abdullah Khalil, said last night that their two countries would hold fast to a policy of positive neutrality and resist any attempt to link them to foreign alliances.

In a communique issued after three days of talks between the two leaders, both reiterated their non-adherence to any camp and said that they will be friendly to those who are friendly towards Arab interests.

The communique said that both countries considered that Israel, which had been helped by the "imperialists," was "a threat to peace in the Middle East and a danger for the Arabs."

Egyptian Officials On Way To Spain

ROME, Saturday (Reuters). — Four Egyptian government officials arrived in Rome by air last night from Cairo. They refused to explain the purpose of their visit but said they were flying on a Madrid in two or three days.

Egypt May Hold Suez Canal Talks In Geneva

CAIRO, Saturday (UP). — The Government newspaper "Al Gomhouriya" said today that Egypt has agreed to the convocation of a Suez Canal conference in Geneva.

The newspaper said that "Yesterday Egypt took another step for the preservation of world peace. She agreed to convocation of a conference at Geneva under the presidency of Secretary-General Dag Hammarskjold to be attended by delegates of 15 states, excluding Israel, to discuss the Suez Canal issue."

In Geneva, Egyptian officials declined to comment on the report but did not exclude the possibility. They said they knew of the report but had as yet had no confirmation from their Government.

It was recalled that on several occasions Egyptian spokesmen have expressed willingness to attend a Suez conference at a neutral point such as Geneva — as long as it does not question Egypt's right to run the Canal.

Meanwhile, Moscow Radio said last night that Egypt could count on continued Soviet support of her lawful right to sovereignty over the Canal. It added that "the solidarity of the Soviet Union and other peace-loving countries with Egypt is the staunchest guarantee that all anti-Egyptian schemes of the imperialists will be foiled."

The frigate Aboukir, the last obstacle in the Canal, was lifted today after attempts to raise her had been hampered by a strong sandstorm.

The Netherlands Government has informed the Dutch Shipowners Association that it "seems undesirable for the time being for Dutch ships to sail through the Suez Canal." It was learned in The Hague.

Not Defaulting On Suez, Israel Says

WASHINGTON, Saturday (INA). — Israel has informed U.S. officials that any agreement on the Suez Canal is in accord with U.N. resolutions and that Israel's navigation rights through the Suez Canal would have no moral or legal claim on Israel.

Furthermore, a Suez settlement merely reaffirming the 1888 Constantinople Convention or the six U.N. principles would not be mentioning the rights of Israel ships to use the Canal would be considered meaningless in the light of the international agreements. Israel places emphasis on Egyptian deeds, not words.

Canal position was said to have been made clear when the Israel Ambassador, Mr. Abba Eban, recently talked with Under-Secretary of State for Economic Affairs, Mr. Joseph Schwartz, in New York, inviting leading Bond workers to attend the official inauguration of the pipeline, probably in the first week in May.

Meanwhile, the Minister of Finance, Mr. Levi Eshkol, yesterday called the Vice-President of the Bond Drive, Dr. Joseph Schwartz, in New York, inviting leading Bond workers to attend the official inauguration of the pipeline, probably in the first week in May.

Canada's Role To Bring U.S., Britain Together

HALIFAX, Saturday. — The Canadian External Affairs Minister, Mr. Lester Pearson, said in Halifax last night that the essential aim of Canada's foreign policy must be to promote good will between London and Washington.

He said the Israel-Egyptian situation would have become worse if the U.N. had intervened. "While the fighting in Egypt may have ceased, have no illusions about the continuing threat to general peace coming from the Israel-Arab hatred and hostility and the instability and insecurity of the whole Middle East area," he warned.

Mr. Pearson said, "it is the first principle of Canadian foreign policy to co-operate closely with the two countries with whom every important interest of history, self-interest, trade and geography counsels such cooperation. We must try to keep in step with both the United Kingdom and the U.S."

Dulles to Meet Dag This Week

WASHINGTON, Saturday. — Secretary of State Dulles is expected to confer with Secretary-General Dag Hammarskjold early next week in New York. He failed to meet Mr. Hammarskjold on Friday. Mr. Dulles took a seven-hour plane ride but did not reach his New York destination because of bad weather and returned by ship.

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(UP, Reuters)

ANTI-SEMITES IN SWEDEN JAILED

STOCKHOLM, Saturday (INA). — A recent Hungarian refugee to Sweden drew a 30-day jail sentence this weekend and a second fine for calling the Swedish teacher "Jewish swine" and threatening to kill him. A third defendant was acquitted.

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First Tanker Brings 16,700 Tons Of Oil from Persian Gulf to Eilat

Ship Chartered by 'Delek' U.S. and Israel Flags Flown

By MEIR BEN-DOV, Jerusalem Post Reporter

EILAT, Saturday. — Flying the American flag, the first tanker to pass through the Straits of Tiran with a cargo of oil from the Persian Gulf appeared over the horizon at 3.10 o'clock this afternoon to the

excited cheers of the population lined along the seashore. When the vessel anchored at the oil terminal, it was flying the Israeli flag alongside the Stars and Stripes.

At dawn tomorrow, the tanker will be connected to the flexible hose at the end of the 16-inch offshore submarine line, the oil terminal superintendent will give instructions for the giant pumps to start operating, and 16,700 tons of crude oil will begin to flow at the rate of 800 tons an hour to fill two of the large storage tanks, which have just been completed.

It will take 48 hours to empty the tanker and the following day she will sail again, scheduled to return later with more oil for Israel.

Strict security precautions were enforced, and even V.I.P.'s who requested permission to go aboard were refused. Customs, frontier control and health checks were carried out and the pilot was taken aboard as the tanker entered the main harbour.

Sandstorm Hides Tanker

A sandstorm at the time of the arrival blotted out the tanker from the Jordan shore. The vessel had to request an escort, but the two frigates in Eilat harbour were ready for any trouble.

Crew members said the journey had taken 12 days. They were asked to identify themselves by UNEF forces at the entrance to the Gulf of Eilat, but they were not asked, nor did they divulge their point of destination.

"Everything went O.K.," they said. They met no other vessels in the Gulf apart from a small ship which they assumed to be the Palestinian torpedo boat, which has left Eilat a few days ago.

The 37-year-old ship's master, Captain Glenn A. Mosley, told the press here tonight that sailing orders for Eilat were given him on Tuesday at Djibouti. In the Red Sea they had met an American warship which asked them to identify themselves. When they replied that they were American and bound for Eilat, the reply given was, "Good Luck." The Captain said that no trouble occurred when entering the Gulf. "We lowered our flag in salute to the UNEF forces, and in reply they fired a rocket in our direction."

When asked where he got his Israel flag from, he said, "Well we have it flags of all countries. The ship was built in California in 1945 and has visited most ports in Europe, South America and Japan."

The crew is getting shore leave, but for Eilat only; the rest of the crew is out of bounds to them at present.

A reception in honour of the captains of the tanker and of

the Danish freighter, the s.s. Brigette Toft, was given tonight by the Harbour Master and representative of the Ministry of Development.

I spoke today to the Canadian superintendent of the oil installations, who has carefully inspected every valve and seam of the storage tanks. He declared that in his 20 years of experience he has never seen an installation of this size and design constructed in such a short time. He believed it to be a world record, unbeaten even in World War II, and pointed out the high standard of the work which required up to the most stringent requirements of American standards.

What was remarkable about the swift completion of the installation was that the contractors and workmen experienced in construction of lower standard water pipelines.

When him on inspection was Mr. Michael Salomon, in charge of safety measures, who had worked at the Thamehah refinery during the London air blitz, and who had been fire officer with the Israel forces in 1948.

Feverish Work

The oil terminal has been a beehive of activity for the past few days, with hundreds of workers racing against the clock and against the arrival of the tanker. Hundreds of floodlights lit up the night sky, while electric arc welders cast a bright blue glow over the desert hills.

The men worked from 6 a.m. until 10 p.m. yesterday, and the night before some of them did not down their tools till 2 o'clock in the morning. During the entire week not a single man had worked less than 12 hours a day, and in the final 18 hours prior to the arrival of the ship a tremendous amount of work was done to complete their task.

Arms Examined In Algeria to Saudi

ORAN, Algeria, Saturday (Reuters). — A French Government spokesman said today that 40 crates of rifles and ammunition taken ashore from the German freighter Lindenfeld would be dispatched to their destination in Saudi Arabia on another ship.

The spokesman said the consignment had been taken ashore when the freighter docked at nearby Mostaganem three days ago because customs officers did not have time to examine them before the Lindenfeld sailed.

'Common Market' To Benefit Israel

TEL AVIV, Saturday. — As Israel represents Europe in this part of the world, Israel should naturally be interested in Europe's progress towards a closer integrated society the Italian Ambassador, Mr. Benedetto Capomazza, Marchese di Camplattaro, said in the Industrial and Commercial Club here yesterday.

The Common Market idea in Europe should strengthen the continent, the Ambassador said, and this fact would make an impact on Israel.

AFTER MIDNIGHT

Mr. Anthony Eden is on his way by air from New Zealand to Boston for a medical examination. On arrival today he will be taken to the New England Baptist hospital, where he will be examined by Richard Costello, the surgeon-in-chief on him for gall bladder in 1955.

SHEEP STOLEN

BEERSHEVA, Saturday. — Infiltrators from Jordan stole 11 sheep from the Beduin Abu Greig tribe on Wednesday night. The value of the sheep is estimated at IL600. Tracks of the infiltrators led to the Jordan border.

U.S. FAMILIES BACK IN CAIRO

The first group of American families have returned to Cairo and Amman after the U.S. Government lifted the ban on travel of American citizens to Israel, Jordan, Egypt and Syria, "Al Ahram" has reported.

ELATH SEES LLOYD

LONDON, Saturday (Reuters). — The Israel Ambassador, Mr. Eliahu Elath, called on Foreign Secretary Selwyn Lloyd yesterday to confer on the Middle East situation.

A spokesman for the Israel Embassy said it was the first meeting between the Ambassador and Mr. Lloyd since the Foreign Secretary returned from the Bermuda conference.

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Social & Personal

The Foreign Minister, Mrs. Golda Meir, gave a luncheon on Friday in honor of the French Premier's daughters, Mmes J. P. Lepoivre and G. Derubourg and their husbands. Other guests were the French Ambassador, Pierre Gilibert, Mr. Shimon Peres, Mrs. Betty Shiloah, Mr. Walter Eytan, Ragan-Aluf Binyamin Kagan, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Kollek, and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Najjar.

Mr. A. S. Stewart, the new British Consul-General, paid a courtesy call at the Jerusalem Chamber of Commerce and was received by the Chairman, Mr. Menashe Eliahar, and the Deputy Chairman.

The Acting Director of U.S.O.M., Mr. G. Strauss, the Economic Counselor of the U.S. Embassy, Mr. F. Butler, and U.S.O.M. Executive Officer L.J. Boynton on Friday visited Haifa Port, the Dagon grain silo and the Technion and were the luncheon guests of Rav-Aluf Y. Dori, President of the Technion.

Nine members of the West German Trade Union delegation, guests of the Histadrut, yesterday toured the South and stayed at the Dagon Hotel in Ashkelon.

Mr. Albert Mayer, town planner, has arrived in Jerusalem from New York for consultations with regard to the planning of Shikun Kiryat Hadassah at Ein Karem and is staying at the King David Hotel.

Justice S. Freedman, of Winnipeg, will lecture on "Aspects of Canadian Divorce Law" under the auspices of the Hebrew University, at the Ratisbonne Building today at 8:30 p.m.

Mr. Louis Pincus will lecture to the Tel Aviv branch of the Hachaduta Olet Britannia at 8:30 p.m. tomorrow at 33A Hayarkon Street. The subject will be "Is Israel's Democracy being Threatened?"

MEMORIAL SERVICE TO CONVOY VICTIMS

A memorial service was held at the Yeshurun synagogue on Friday morning by the Hebrew University and Hadassah for the members of their staffs killed when their convoy to Mount Scopus was attacked nine years ago. Prof. B. Mazar, President of the University, lit a memorial light and read out the list of victims.

SHITREET VISITS BEERSHEVA AREA

The Minister of Police, Mr. Behor Shitreet, toured the Beersheva police sub-district, the new police station at Kiryat Gat and Telad, Makim, where he reviewed plans for the building of a police station. He discussed with Beersheva police officers and representatives of the area's police and security problems.

Ministry Intervenes In Ashkelon Shikun Dispute

ASHKELON, Saturday. — The Minister of Labour has intervened in the dispute between Mifal Hahishkon in Ashkelon and 150 buyers of houses in the shikun recently completed. The houses have been standing empty pending a report from the State Controller as to whether the Housing Section of the Ministry of Labour had the right to include in the "draw" large institutions which wanted housing for their employees, thereby compelling some of the buyers to wait for the next section of the shikun to be completed.

The State Controller reported that there had been no impropriety on the part of the Ministry of Labour, and that the inclusion of the institutions in the draw was not a breach of any contract. Nevertheless, the Minister decided that the institutions should be excluded from the first draw, because in any case the second section has been nearly finished during the dispute.

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In the Supreme Court
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Before the Deputy President (Justice Cheshin) Justices Silberg and Witkon.
Degan Bakery, 2 Avraham Edelstein, 3 Yosef Perlman (Cr. A. 196/56).

Partners May Be Criminally Responsible
The Supreme Court allowed an appeal against a judgment of the Tel Aviv District Court delivered on October 21, 1956 (Cr. A. 196/56).

The Degan bakery, a partnership, was found guilty of an offense against Section 11(d) of the Public Health Rules as to Food Ordinance, in that it had sold contaminated food. The partners, Yosef Perlman, Edelstein and Yosef Perlman, were acquitted.

The Attorney-General appealed against the acquittal of the partners. Mr. F. Landau, Deputy State Attorney, appeared for the appellants and Dr. Lustig for the respondents.

Judgment
The decision of the Supreme Court was delivered in two parts. In the first, Justice Cheshin, in his judgment, said that the only question before the court was whether in an offense of this nature the firm only is criminally responsible or whether the individual partners may also be held liable.

In pointing out the difference between strict and vicarious liability as defined by Professor Williams in his book on criminal law, (page 58) Justice Cheshin said that the District Court, in finding the partnership guilty of the offense, had already accepted the principle of strict liability. In other words, the District Court held that the offense was committed by the person who, in accordance with the doctrine of civil law, "had sold" the contaminated food, even though that person himself had not performed the actual sale and even though neither he, nor his servant, had acted with criminal intent (*mens rea*).

The next question to be considered, therefore, Justice Cheshin said, is who is the person who "sold" the contaminated food. There is no doubt that the firm as such sold it and, in his opinion, it was equally clear, on civil law principles, that the individual partners had also been "sellers" of the contaminated food, whether they had actually participated in the sale or not and whether they had known of it and authorized it or not.

This followed naturally from the relevant sections in the Partnership Ordinance which lays down that each partner acts as agent for the remaining partners, that the partners are managers of the firm, and that the acts of the firm are binding upon the individual partners (Sections 12, 2, 18). In this a partnership is different from a company.

Justice Silberg concurred with both of his colleagues. The appeal was allowed and a nominal fine of £140 imposed on each of the respondents.

JERUSALEM
— Exhibitions at the Department of Antiquities, 38 Rehov Shalom Hameikani, rooms 1 and 2, will be held from Friday to Sunday. The exhibits include: 1. Pottery from the excavations at Khirbet Sheikh Ali and El Malhah, 9-1, 2-5.

2. Lacquer of the Desert, Permanent Exhibition. Daily from 10-11. On Friday from 10-1 only closed on Saturday.

3. Paintings and Graphic works by Max Liebermann, Josef Israels and Isaac Levitane. 4. Paintings by Avigdor Aron. 5. Oil Paintings by Anatol Gertov. 6. Applied Arts and Crafts. 7. Jewish Art. 8. Paintings and Drawings by Zippora Ben-Zion. 9. Chosen Works by Israeli Painters. Now at Gallery, 9 Maimon Ave. 10-1, 8-4.

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Hahinukh, "Anna Christie," (for Electric Corp. Workers), 8, Carmel, "No Time for Serenata," Mizrachi, 8.

Lectures:
Mrs. H. Reinhard on Cooper, "The Moors," Artists House, 24 U.N.O. Ave. 8 p.m.

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U.S. Doctor and Israel Navy Pool Efforts to Save Eilat Baby

By MEIR BEN-DOV, Jerusalem Post Correspondent

EILAT, Saturday. — The combined efforts of a young American doctor and his wife, the captain and surgeon of an Israeli frigate, and a police driver, restored life to a "dead" infant in Eilat this week.

Dr. George Garb and his wife Rose, a nurse, were called out by the parents of a 10-week-old infant, but when the doctor arrived the baby had ceased breathing; its heart-beat had stopped, and it had turned blue. According to medical definition the child was dead.

The doctor shook the child, applied artificial respiration and gradually restored very faint breathing only four minutes after it had "died." But the only way to maintain life was to apply oxygen, and there was none in Eilat.

Dr. Garb remembered having seen an oxygen tank on board a frigate in Eilat harbor. He summoned a police car and rushed the child to the vessel, applying artificial respiration all the way. The captain readily gave permis-

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English: 7:00-8:00 a.m.
Arabic: 8:00-9:00 a.m.
Turkish: 9:00-10:00 a.m.
Russian: 10:00-11:00 a.m.
Yiddish: 11:00-12:00 a.m.

SECOND PROGRAMME
SE. 145, 33.1 & 43.9 M.
New Hebrew: 12:00-1:00 p.m.
English: 1:00-2:00 p.m.
Arabic: 2:00-3:00 p.m.
Turkish: 3:00-4:00 p.m.
Russian: 4:00-5:00 p.m.
Yiddish: 5:00-6:00 p.m.

THIRD PROGRAMME
SE. 145, 33.1 & 43.9 M.
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FOURTH PROGRAMME
SE. 145, 33.1 & 43.9 M.
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English: 1:00-2:00 p.m.
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Russian: 4:00-5:00 p.m.
Yiddish: 5:00-6:00 p.m.

FIFTH PROGRAMME
SE. 145, 33.1 & 43.9 M.
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English: 7:00-8:00 p.m.
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SIXTH PROGRAMME
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English: 1:00-2:00 p.m.
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SE. 145, 33.1 & 43.9 M.
New Hebrew: 6:00-7:00 p.m.
English: 7:00-8:00 p.m.
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SE. 145, 33.1 & 43.9 M.
New Hebrew: 12:00-1:00 p.m.
English: 1:00-2:00 p.m.
Arabic: 2:00-3:00 p.m.
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St. Andrew's Church (Glebe St.): 8:30 a.m. H.C. as announced. Clergy: Canon H.E. Jones (Tel. 5712). Rev. J. Ayre (Tel. 5124).

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